

EDEN NISEI 2012 TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Open to all Nisei Bowlers (bowlers of Japanese ancestry).
2. Non-Nisei bowlers accepted in a NCNBF recognized Nisei league/association must be active members in that league/association. Where question of eligibility arises, the decision of the tournament committee shall be final.
3. This tournament shall be morally certified under USBC Rule 301. Unless otherwise specified, USBC rules and regulations will govern situations not covered by the tournament rules. Participants must be USBC members to qualify for USBC awards.
4. A non Nisei bowler must have 21 games or more in a recognized Nisei league for the current season and must submit a current league sheet as of tournament deadline date as proof of eligibility. The tournament committee is to have final decision on its participants.
5. Tournament entering average shall be:
 - A. Highest 2010-2011 book average.
 - B. Highest 2009-2010 book average with 5-pin drop rule in effect.
 - C. If none of the above, the highest known current USBC league average, 21 games or more as of tournament entry deadline. Proof must be furnished.
 - D. Highest 2011 sanctioned summer average (21 games or more) proof must be furnished.
 - E. If none of the above, bowlers must bowl scratch: 220 for men, 220 for women. Minimum entering average for men 150, women 125.Five-pin drop rule to be interpreted as follows:

If current book average is lower than previous year's 2009-2010 by five pins or less, current book average will be used. If current book average is six or more pins lower than previous year's book, use previous year's book less five pins.
6. Except where noted, the following will apply to all participants:
 - A. USBC Rules 319A, (1), (3) and (5) applies. Rule 319A (2) and (4) does not apply. USBC Rule 319d applies. USBC 319e does not apply.
 - B. Bowlers whose total prize winnings was \$300.00 or more (including team event) in one or more tournaments during the past twelve months preceding the tournament start date, may be adjusted.

NOTE: Rule 319C shall in no way supercede the tournament manager's authority to adjust a bowler's entering average when evidence indicates that the bowler's skill is not coincident to his book average. Such rerating must be accomplished before the entrant bowls, however, if the rerated average is not accepted by the bowler the entry fee shall be refunded.
7. Handicap shall be based on 80% of 220 for men and 90% of 220 for women.
8. **All averages will be verified using Bowl.com and USBC#. Bowlers are responsible for insuring that current USBC average posted on www.Bowl.com is correct. Bowlers with unverified averages will be adjusted to 220 (men) and 220 (women).**
9. **Entrants may bowl as often as they wish, but not more than once with the same partner. Teams may be either mixed, both women, or both men. There shall be no restrictions on two non-Nisei bowling together who qualify by above Rules No. 1 through 4.**
10. Tournament committee decisions will be final. Appeals must be made in accordance with USBC Rule 329
11. **Time preference will be based on entries received on a first come first serve basis.**
12. Prize list shall be posted before start of tournament. One hundred percent of prize fund shall be paid and distributed within 30 days of close of tournament. Ratio of prize fund will be at least one per eight entries.
13. Each entry form with average verification not completely filled in nor properly signed shall be rejected. Entry fee must accompany all entries.
14. In case of a tie, cash prize will be divided equally.
15. All bowlers entered must report at least thirty minutes before squad time of check-in and report any substitutions on the roster. No changes in the order of bowling shall be permitted.
16. All bowlers shall be properly attired and live up to the good sportsmanship Nisei bowlers have established.
17. Above rules pertaining to singles and team not applicable to this tournament.
18. Tournament chairpersons have the right to adjust any bowler's average
19. GENERAL NOTES:
 1. All bowlers average who have been adjusted must report it to the tournament committee.
 2. **ONE LANE COURTESY WILL BE OBSERVED.**
 3. Revised 1/2012

TOURNAMENT CHAIRPERSONS

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41st Annual

EDEN NISEI INVITATIONAL

Doubles Tournament

MARCH 31 and APRIL 1, 2012

**DO NOT WRITE
IN THIS SPACE**

ENTRY NO.

AMOUNT RECEIVED

CASTRO VILLAGE BOWL • 3501 Village Drive • Castro Valley, CA • (510) 538-8100

ENTRY FEE per team	
Prize Fund	\$18.00
Bowling	18.00
Expenses	2.00
TOTAL	\$38.00

HANDICAP:
80% of 220 (Men)
90% of 220 (Women)
Prize Fund
Returned 100%

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry deadline MIDNIGHT MARCH 1, 2012, or sooner if squads are filled. • USBC sanctioned. • Entry Fee must accompany all entries. • Make check payable to Eden Nisei. 	MAIL ENTRIES TO: Jim Masamori 3800 Elston Dr. • San Bruno, CA 94066 (650) 738-9358 • mori300@aol.com (information only)
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*Bowlers may bowl as often as they wish,
but not more than once with the same partner.*

Teams may be either mixed, two women or two men.

CAPTAIN'S NAME	PHONE NO.
ADDRESS, CITY, ZIP CODE	EMAIL

BOWLER'S NAME	AVG.	USBC NO.	Indicate Day & Time Preference	
			1st CHOICE	2nd CHOICE
1. Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>				
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I hereby verify the averages on this entry are correct

PERSON SUBMITTING ENTRY

SQUAD TIMES:

Saturday, March 31: 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., Lane Oiling, 5:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 1: 11:30 a.m., Lane Oiling, 2:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m.

EDEN NISEI INVITATIONAL

SENIOR MIXED

“NO-TAP” DOUBLES EVENT

Sunday, March 25, 2012

9:30 am, 11:15 am, (lane oiling), 1:30 pm

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RULES:

1. Unless otherwise specified, rules for the 41st Annual Eden Nisei Invitational Doubles tournament will apply.
2. **A team will consist of one (1) woman and one (1) man. (limited to men bowlers 60 and older and women bowlers 55 and older.)**
3. One member of team must be Nikkei.
4. Prize fund will be returned 100%.
5. The “Senior Mixed Doubles event and Regular Doubles event are separate tournaments with separate prize fund and pot games.
6. No minimum entering average for men or women.

EDEN NISEI INVITATIONAL
“NO-TAP” CENTURY
BONUS SQUAD

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Saturday, March 31, 2012 10:00am
Sunday, April 1, 2012 9:30am

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2. Teams may be either mixed, two women or two men.
3. **Combined age of bowlers – minimum 100 years.**
4. Prize fund will be returned 100%.
5. Separate prize fund for Bonus squad.